

Maine Revised Statutes
Title 18-A: PROBATE CODE
Article :

§9-301. PETITION FOR ADOPTION AND CHANGE OF NAME; FILING FEE

A husband and wife jointly or an unmarried person, resident or nonresident of the State, may petition the Probate Court to adopt a person, regardless of age, and to change that person's name. The fee for filing the petition is \$65 plus: [2005, c. 654, §4 (AMD) .]

(a). The fee for a national criminal history record check for noncriminal justice purposes set by the Federal Bureau of Investigation for each prospective adoptive parent who is not the biological parent of the child; and

[2001, c. 52, §1 (NEW) .]

(b). The fee for a state criminal history record check for noncriminal justice purposes established pursuant to Title 25, section 1541, subsection 6 for each prospective adoptive parent who is not the biological parent of the child.

[2001, c. 52, §1 (NEW) .]

SECTION HISTORY

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